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Dear Mr.,

Today I have obtained the letter from Deborah D. Williams concerning my US. Application number 09/936.793 for my PCT (Europe) (PCT/FR00/00757, filling date 03/23/2000, priority date 03/26/1999

Letter mailed 11/26/2001 inform me:

"Notification of Abandonment:

Applicant has failed to provide the full U.S. Basic National Fee by 30 months."

I inform you that I send full application including the form PTO -2038 with my credit card number. I have obtained confirmation that this application has obtained US patent office before 30 months. I did not obtain any letter concerning the payment.

I am not agree with this decision.

Please used the sent information about my credit card, or inform me that the form PTO-2038 was lost in your office, I can replace by another one.

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Sincerely,

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